

## The Bloomfield Citizen.

## WATSESSING AND FRANKLIN DISTRICT AFFAIRS.

## Watseessing.

Mr. Sarah Hill, of Yonkers, visited here last Tuesday.

The voters' vote on Tuesday was divided between the four tickets.

Mr. and Mrs. William Irwin of New York, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hayhurst.

Mr. Fred. Carl of Bloomfield, contemplating a new house on the corner of Bond and Meadow streets.

Rev. R. Van Horn of Roseville, and Rev. J. H. Ebert of Lawrence street M. E. church will exchange pulpits on Sunday the 15th inst.

Mrs. Eliza Wilson of Liverpool, England, accompanied by her daughter, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Ellor on Bloomfield avenue. They sailed for London on Wednesday.

The trustees of the Watseessing Free Library held a meeting on Wednesday night. It was decided to make some additions to the stock of books, also to provide a room for storing them.

The official board of Watseessing M. E. church met at the residence of Adrian Dickerson on Bloomfield avenue last Friday night. A very enjoyable evening was spent. Mr. Dickerson started for the South Tuesday morning where he intends spending the winter.

## Franklin District.

Franklin Hose Company will hold a banquet on Thanksgiving eve.

Captain A. P. Quimby will fill the position of first lieutenant at the target excursion, Monday.

J. W. Hobart, the Glenwood avenue real-estate agent, has presented an order for a ton of coal as a prize to the target excursionists next Monday.

County Supt. Charles M. Davis has appointed H. B. Thistle, a member of the board of trustees of the Franklin district school, vice Lucius B. McAdam, resigned.

The young ladies connected with Franklin district division S. of T. are busy engaged making ties, lamp-ropes, lamp-mats and other fancy articles for the annual fair of the society, which opens on the 16th inst. This event is always looked forward to with great interest by the young people.

## No Reporters Wanted.

Active Hose Company, of Watseessing has held its meetings regularly since its organization. The presence of a reporter at any of these meetings has never been witnessed. Yet that august body deliberated, discussed, and actually debates a resolution to exclude representatives of the newspapers. It is said that some of the members credited with sense opposed such a ridiculous absurd resolution. Whatever action was taken upon it was not definitely ascertained. This action on the part of the Company will probably suggest the thoughtful: Why did the Company do this in the face of the fact that no reporter or newspaper representative had ever been present at their meetings? It is to be hoped that the reputation of the Company for liberality, hospitality and abundance of sound common sense, has not been impaired by enrolling such an irrational resolution on their record book. They should have some consideration for their grand-children, that they, in looking back long years from distant future, may say with pride, our forefathers behaved in free press, free speech, and free and easy reporters.

## A Great Failure.

Great half-million dollar failure in Boston—the stock to be moved to New York and placed out at retail by order of the Court in five days. Cut this out, save it, and wait. Positively no goods sold and no one allowed in either of the two large stores in the immense six-story double building until date mentioned below. In consequence of this great failure the two large stores in the six-story double building, 718 and 720 Broadway, New York, have been hired by the assignees for five days expressly for this great sale. Both stores are now closed and will remain closed until Monday, Nov. 14, at 10 o'clock when this great sale will commence. The stock consists of nearly \$500,000 worth of fine tailor-made clothing and other goods. Everything will be sold at retail 50 per cent below first cost, as it is ordered that the estate must be settled up within five days from time of opening at 718 and 720 Broadway, between Astor place and Fifth street New York. In order to find what extraordinary bargains will be offered, we quote the following: Men's fine Beaver Overcoats, \$2.95, guaranteed worth \$15 or money returned. Extra fine tailor-made Men's Suits, \$7.49, guaranteed to be worth \$16. An elegant suit of Men's Winter Pants, \$1.24, guaranteed worth \$5. You can keep these pants home for days, if you do not think they are worth \$5, we hereby agree to return you \$1.24 any time. The quality of Men's Derby Hats, 99 cents, guaranteed a regular \$4 hat. Elegant Woolen Jacket, 75 cents, worth \$2.50. Underwear and 200,000 different other goods at the great assignee sale in the two large stores, 718 and 720 Broadway, New York city. Remember, this great sale does not commence until Monday, Nov. 14, at 10 o'clock, and must close in five days. Both buildings open 11 to 9 at night. Remember the address, 718 and 720 Broadway, New York City.

## State Teachers' Association.

The annual meeting of the New Jersey State Teachers' Association will be held again in Trenton this year on the 28th, 29th and 30th of December.

The meeting promises to be one of unusual interest. A prominent feature of the occasion will be the exhibit of school work. This year, instead of having the exhibit classified in accordance with the schools of cities or towns, it will be arranged by subjects, in separate rooms. Comparisons of work can thus be more readily made. There will be a department of Mathematics, of Penmanship and Bookkeeping, of Drawing, of Industrial and Kindergarten Work, of Language, of Natural Sciences and of Miscellaneous Work. Each of these departments will be under the management of a special committee.

The Executive Committee has done all in its power to provide an excellent program, and a full attendance of the teachers of the State is confidently expected.

## WATERS OF THE SPRINGS.

## Principal Constituents of the Different Classes of Mineral Waters.

The water of many springs holds in solution saline, earthy and metallic ingredients. Such springs are found in most parts of the earth, each differing from the other, more or less, in the character, quantity and combination of the constituents. Indeed, as at Saratoga, there may be essential differences in the waters of springs at but a short distance from each other.

The principal constituents are soda, magnesia, lime, iron and lithium, combined with various acids. In some there is free carbonic acid, so that the water resembles the manufactured carbonated water of our so-called soda fountains. There may be, also, in smaller quantities, one or more of a dozen other minerals. Some springs are hot and their temperature increases their value, especially for bathing purposes.

The springs generally contain a mixture of several mineral constituents, but they are classified according to the predominant one, which, in the main, determines the class of cases to which the water is suited, though its action is modified by the lesser ingredients.

In one class the chief ingredient is common salt—chloride of sodium. Since salt enters into the tissues of the body, and largely into the gastric juice, it must have important therapeutic uses. It stimulates the action of the stomach and bowels and the general circulation. In this class of springs, the action of the salt is usually modified by carbonic acid, which is also found in them.

The water of a second class of springs is alkaline and has carbonate of soda—which differs greatly from our cooking soda—for its chief ingredient. This, too, is a constituent of the body, and the water aids in digestion, corrects acidity, favors the action of the kidneys, and helps to promote vital changes in the system. The doses of all alkalis should be small.

In a third class iron predominates. This favors the formation of good blood, the production of heat and general nutrition.

In a fourth class the special constituent is sulphur, which is sought, among other ailments, for numerous cutaneous affections.

In a fifth, the chief constituents are carbonate and sulphate of lime, and carbonate of magnesia, and are of use to persons having digestive troubles, with a tendency to acidity, diarrhoea, and irritability of the mucous membrane.

These waters, as bottled up at the springs, and sold by druggists, are in themselves equally potent; but a large part of the benefit of a visit, say to Saratoga Springs, is in the change of scene, surroundings, etc. Much, also, is due to copious drinking, which washes out the stomach, and variously relieves the system. But to have the full benefit of mineral waters, one should be guided by the advice of an intelligent physician. Without it, harm may result, instead of health.—Youth's Companion.

## Arsenic as a Medicine.

Arsenic is extremely useful in a narrow line of cases. In chronic malarial poisoning it usually acts as a real antidote after quinine, and all the principles derived from Peruvian bark have done all they can to rid the organism of the enemy. It is in the obstinate and obscure forms of malarial poisoning that arsenic is of such great value. In ordinary chills and fevers, it is not slow to take the place of quinine, but in neuritis, headaches and obscure nervous troubles showing a tendency to appear and disappear with regularity, there is no substitute for arsenic. In cases of this kind the drug appears to be simply an anti-malarial remedy, with no show of its so-called alterative qualities. In certain skin diseases, especially those showing a tendency to sluggishness, with no sharp, acute symptoms, arsenic is supposed to act as an alterative. The scaly skin affections, those connected in some way with the rheumatic constitution, are of this character. How it performs the service of increasing the circulation, hastening the activity of the removal of old tissues and the adding of new materials where they are most needed, is practically unknown.—Globe-Democrat.

## Novel Use for the Scriptures.

Bible readings in parlors will be a feature in society—a diversion shall it be said—this winter, and will take the place among some of the intellectual and Browning recitals, recurred last year. Readers who may conclude from this preface that society is becoming pious will be disappointed when they learn that the new movement finds its support among the agnostics, and that the old Bible will be selected solely for the rhetorical and oratorical possibilities of its stately language in view. It is understood that a young society man who quite distinguished himself as an amateur reader of Browning has studied the Psalms this summer for the purpose of reading them to his guests with the "Flight of the Duchess" and "Rabbi Ben Ezra," and is very eager for the opening of the reading season, which usually dates from Nov. 15. From the Psalms he hopes to progress to the book of Job, should society graciously smile upon the reader's experiment in its final phase. Perhaps to a portion of his hearers the Rig Veda is more familiar than the holy Scriptures.—Boston Transcript.

## Secret of Good Horsemanship.

"A fellow learns a good deal about driving here," sarcastically growled an old turfman, "when he stands about the curb looking at the dudes and the coachmen. See that fellow," pointing at a young man driving a high-topping horse. "Why he is not fit to hold the reins over a poodle dog. Now, it may be style to drive with the left hand, but you never saw a horseman do it. He knows that it is unsafe. The only way to handle a horse is with a rein in each hand. When I rode racehorses I never let either hand off the rein. I can send a horse along with my spurs, and I could, in my time, make a finish that would break some of the 'jocks' of today. The secret of good horsemanship is to have complete control over the animal, and this cannot be done except by being able to use the reins in an instant. I know this left handed business is English, but I have yet to find the Englishman who can ride better than the Yankee."—Buffalo News.

## Contagion in the Laundry.

Dr. Russell, medical officer of Glasgow, says that during the past ten years over a million of articles from persons affected with every kind of contagion have been driven to the laundries, and that he has never known a case of inter-contagious disease, although the women engaged in the laundry have occasionally suffered from handling the linen before the boiling process.—Boston Budget.

## Alaska's Fruits and Vegetables.

A man in Alaska writes: "Cranberries, whortcherries and salmonberries grow here in abundance. Strawberries were sold on the street by natives today, but they were not ripe. Peas, lettuce, radishes and cauliflower are raised here."

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Wood Stews in Northern Siberia.  
We have all had our sympathies aroused by statements that the natives of northern Siberia are often during famines compelled to resort to wood for food. Now, the fact is that careless observers have simply been imposed upon or they have jumped at conclusions without caring or perhaps being able to make inquiries, and because they thought that a statement of this kind would make a heartrending page for their books, and by inference show what a distressing time they themselves must have had among such surroundings. Wood in a certain form is a most common and constant article of diet on the Lena river, all along the north coast and in the immediate neighborhood of Yakutsk—in fact, wherever the Yakut resides. North of Verchovansk, except in a few sheltered valleys, it may be said there is no other wood than the larch, and for miles south of the Lena river, all along the coast, a wretched little fish is the staple food of the natives. The natives eat it because they like it. Even when fish are plentiful it usually forms part of the evening meal, as the many cleanly striped larch logs near every hut testify. They know by experience that the fact of their eating wood arouses the sympathies of strangers, and shrewdly use it to excite pity and to obtain a gift of tea and tobacco. They scrape off the thick layers immediately under the bark of a log, and chopping it fine, mix it with snow. It is then boiled in a kettle. Sometimes a little fish roe is mixed with it, and farther south cow's milk or butter. I have often seen it eaten without anything additional, though, in the present instance, there was apparently enough other food on hand.—"Mission to the Lena Delta."

The Population of China.  
It has been the custom of late to disbelieve in the ancient estimates of the population of China; but The Nation, a London, a well informed journal, publishes statistics which strongly support them. It appears that the authorities at Peking have recently taken a census for taxing purposes, and that the village bailiffs, whose business it is to understate the figures, return the population at 319,383,500. Five provinces are omitted, and their population, as recorded in the last census, brings the total up to 392,000,000. Even this figure is independent of the population of Tibet, Kashgar, H. and Corea; and the total number of souls ruled by the emperor of China, therefore, exceeds 400,000,000, and still displays a tendency to increase.

As the population of India exceeds 250,000,000, the Indians and Chinese together constitute more than half the entire human race, a fact worth the attention of those philosophers who study London and Paris, and then announce that "man believes" this and that. There are many races of men, but some of the foremost among them, e. g., the French and the Arabs, scarcely increase at all, while a few, e. g., the Ottomans, slightly decline. If the process now going on continues for another century, the world will belong in the main to four races, or rather peoples—the Teutons, the Slavs, the Chinese, and the natives of India. It is quite possible, however, that they may quarrel, and that their march toward the mastery of the planet, which else will belong to them like a cheese to mites, may be seriously checked.—London Spectator.

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Leave Watseessing—6.10, 7.21, 7.58, 8.22, 10.41, 11.41 a.m.; 12.49, 1.48, 3.38, 4.46, 5.31, 6.27, 7.02, 8.25, 9.49, 11.12 p.m. 12.41 a.m.

\* Does not stop at Newark.

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